Chronology of Staff Activities November 16, 2016 - June 5, 2017

November 16, 2016: Tim Baker hosted the Fall 2016 Hall of Records Commission meeting at the Maryland State Archives in Annapolis.

November 17, 2016: Emily Oland Squires attended a meeting of the Four Rivers Maryland Day Planning Committee.

November 17, 2016: Tim Baker and Megan Craynon attended a meeting of the Historic Maryland Newspapers Project Advisory Board.

November 30, 2016: Tim Baker, Maya Davis, Catherine Rogers Arthur, and Chris Kintzel attended the dedication of a plaque commemorating Theodore Johnson.

December 3, 2016: Elaine Rice Bachmann and Archives staff members assisted with the State House by Candlelight Open House festivities.

December 7, 2016: Emily Oland Squires attended a meeting of the Four Rivers Education Committee.

December 9, 2016: Tim Baker, Elaine Rice Bachmann, Catherine Rogers Arthur, and Chris Kintzel attended the fall meeting of the Maryland Commission on Artistic Property.

December 12, 2016: Tim Baker attended the Preserving Electronic Government Information (PEGI) Summit in Washington, DC.

December 13, 2016: Catherine Rogers Arthur and Chris Kintzel provided State House Guide training in the Old Senate Chamber.

December 13, 2016: Elaine Rice Bachmann attended a meeting of the Interdisciplinary Life Sciences Building (ILSB) Public Art Project Committee at University of Maryland, Baltimore County.

December 15, 2016: Tim Baker and Rob Schoberlein hosted a delegation of archivists from Afghanistan, and Elaine Rice Bachmann gave them a tour of the State House. The visit was coordinated by the World Trade Center Institute.

December 19, 2016: Maria Day gave a presentation on "Vintage Auto Travel in Maryland" to the Frederick Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

January 9, 2017: Corey Lewis gave a presentation to the Genealogy Club in Edgewater titled "Don't Leave It in the Attic: An Introduction to Digitization."

January 13, 2017: Ryan Cox and Liz Coelho participated in the Martin Luther King Jr. Day of Service event at the Banneker-Douglass Museum.

January 18, 2017: Emily Oland Squires attended a meeting of the Four Rivers Coordinating Council.

January 20, 2017: Tim Baker participated in a meeting of the Task Force to Study Recording Deeds for Victims of Domestic Violence.

January 23, 2017: Wei Yang attended the IT Advisory Committee meeting.

January 24, 2017: Kevin Swanson participated in a meeting with members of the Task Force to Study Recording Deeds for Victims of Domestic Violence to formulate a list of public records other than land records created at the time of purchase or sale of a home.

January 25, 2017: Elaine Rice Bachmann, and Catherine Rogers Arthur attended the Annapolis Preservation Roundtable lecture and luncheon.

January 25, 2017: James Watson met with representatives from the Town of Berlin on retention schedule creation.

January 27, 2017: Tim Baker, Wei Yang, and Kevin Swanson attended the FileNet ECM Demonstration at the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission.

February 1, 2017: Emily Oland Squires attended a meeting of the Four Rivers Education Committee.

February 1, 2017: Ryan Cox and Elizabeth Newell attended the Governor's State of the State address.

February 1, 2017: V Joyce Phelps and Christian Skipper met with representatives from Queen Anne's County Circuit Court to discuss record retention and disposal.

February 3, 2017: Christian Skipper had a teleconference with a representative from the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene on retention schedule creation.

February 6, 2017: Staff members and volunteers conducted the Archives' first Virtual Brick Wall session, allowing out-of-area participants to confer with our researchers remotely.

February 6, 2017: Elaine Rice Bachmann participated as a panel member for Johns Hopkins University Museums and Society career event.

February 7, 2017: Tim Baker and Kevin Swanson participated in a meeting of the Task Force to Study Recording Deeds for Victims of Domestic Violence.

February 7, 2017: Chris Haley was interviewed by the Evening Capital on the subject of "How to Find Your Black Ancestors."

February 8, 2017: Ryan Cox presented a talk on "The History of Slavery in Maryland" as part of the Civil War Lecture Series at the Glenwood 50+ Center in Cooksville.

February 8, 2017: Chris Haley visited the National Museum of American History to review Maryland-related African American material with Jesse Buggs, Grant Manager for the city of Bowie.

February 9, 2017: Maria Day met with Lisa Robbins of Historic Annapolis to view James Brice's account book for an upcoming exhibit loan.

February 15, 2017: Kathryn Baringer met with representatives from Morgan State University on retention schedule creation.

February 16, 2017: Maria Day presented a talk on "Vintage Auto Travel in Maryland" to the Caritas Society of St. John's College in Annapolis.

February 17, 2017: Kathryn Baringer and Maria Day had a conference call with a representative from the Office of the Comptroller on record retention and disposal.

February 20, 2017: Catherine Rogers Arthur attended the annual ceremony honoring George Washington's birthday in the Old Senate Chamber.

February 21, 2017: Chris Haley gave a presentation on "The Local Legacy of Slavery in Maryland" at the United States Citizenship and Immigration Services field office in Baltimore.

February 21, 2017: Tim Baker and Emily Oland Squires met with Michael Kurtz, Keith Marzullo, Richard Marciano, and Larry Liff of the University of Maryland Information School to discuss collaborative efforts.

February 22, 2017: Emily Oland Squires toured the Ruth Starr Rose exhibit at the Mitchell Gallery at St. John's College in Annapolis and attended an internship recruitment event as the Archives' representative.

February 22, 2017: Elaine Rice Bachmann attended a meeting of the Interdisciplinary Life Sciences Building (ILSB) Public Art Selection Committee at the University of Maryland Baltimore County.

February 23, 2017: Chris Kintzel provided a tour of the State House to a group from the Antiques Forum of the Colonial Williamsburg Foundation.

February 24, 2017: Chris Haley met with staff of Chase-Lloyd House to discuss Black History Month projects.

February 24, 2017: Maria Day met with representatives of the Annapolis Police Department concerning the archiving of their historic photographs.

February 27, 2017: Chris Haley gave a presentation to the 4th Graders of Hillsmere Elementary School.

March 1, 2017: Elaine Rice Bachmann gave a presentation to Rho Kappa members at Severna Park High School.

March 2, 2017: Owen Lourie met with Ben Peters of the Ellicott Mills Middle School regarding the Maryland 400 project.

March 3, 2017: Tim Baker and Elaine Rice Bachmann met with Secretary of Appointments Chris Cavey.

March 6, 2017: Emily Oland Squires and Nancy Sheads presented the Strategic Planning Kickoff to the Archives' staff.

March 7, 2017: Owen Lourie spoke at a meeting of the Cross Bottony Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

March 8, 2017: Jean Russo gave a talk on 18th-century domestic life for Historic Annapolis at the William Paca House and Garden.

March 9, 2017: Tim Baker attended the Society of Senates Past dinner at the Miller Senate Building.

March 10 - 12, 2017: Chris Haley participated in the Harriet Tubman Underground Railroad Visitor Center Opening weekend ceremonies.

March 13, 2017: Elaine Rice Bachmann attended a luncheon meeting with the First Lady and the Government House Foundation Board.

March 15, 2017: Maria Day presented a talk on "Vintage Auto Travel in Maryland" to the Maryland Society of The Dames of the Court of Honor in Howard County.

- *March 15, 2017*: Wei Yang attended the Advisory Board Meeting for 2017 Maryland Digital Government Summit.
- **March 16, 2017**: Michael McCormick and Rachel Frazier hosted fifteen members of the Charles County chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, providing them with a two-hour orientation presentation followed by research in the Search Room.
- *March 16, 2017*: Elaine Rice Bachmann and Chris Kintzel provided a tour of the State House and Government House to the Severna Park Elementary School 5th Grade class.
- *March 22, 2017*: Elaine Rice Bachmann presented the First Citizens Award in the Senate Chamber, Maryland State House.
- *March 22, 2017*: Wei Yang attended a meeting of the Maryland Digital Government Summit Advisory Board.
- *March 24, 2017*: Tim Baker, Elaine Rice Bachmann, Catherine Rogers Arthur, and Chris Kintzel attended the State House Trust Maryland Day celebration and the commemoration of the installation of the portraits of the Lords Baltimore in the State House.
- *March 24, 2017*: The Archives hosted a Maryland Day Made in Maryland workshop detailing how to use birth records in the Archives' collections.
- *March 25, 2017*: Archives staff provided guided interpretation of the Maryland State House exhibits and historic rooms in commemoration of Maryland Day.
- March 27 31, 2017: Reginald Shorter attended Netapp Training.
- *March 28, 2017*: Tim Baker, Kevin Swanson, Kathryn Baringer, and Christian Skipper met with Queen Anne's County Circuit Court Clerk Scott MacGlashan and his staff to discuss records-related issues.
- *March 29, 2017:* Elaine Rice Bachmann participated on the artist selection panel for public art being commissioned for the Interdisciplinary Life Sciences Building at the University of Maryland Baltimore Campus (UMBC).
- *March 31, 2017*: Chris Haley moderated the African American Experience panel at the Annapolis Film Festival.
- *March 31, 2017*: Chris Haley conducted a Question and Answer session for the DC-based documentary "Check It!" at Ashbury Church.

- **April 3, 2017**: Owen Lourie gave a presentation on "The Maryland 400" at the South County Senior Center in Edgewater.
- **April 4, 2017**: Tim Baker participated in a meeting of the Government Operations Committee Workgroup.
- **April 6, 2017**: Megan Craynon and Maria Day met with historians from St Mark's United Methodist Church, Hanover, to consult on protecting records and potential additions to MSA SC2389.
- **April 6 7, 2017**: Maria Day, Megan Craynon, Mimi Calver, and Elaine Rice Bachmann represented the Archives at James Brice House 250th Anniversary events.
- *April 10, 2017:* James Watson, Maria Day, Corey Lewis, Tyrone Jones, Jennifer Cruickshank, and Camille DiMarco presented information on the mine map grant project report and processes to Michael Herzberger from Maryland Department of the Environment.
- **April 11, 2017**: Tim Baker, Elaine Rice Bachmann and Catherine Rogers Arthur attended the bill signing for Senate Bill 148, *Procurement Exemption for the Care of Fine and Decorative Arts*.
- April 11, 2017: Wei Yang attended the Forcepoint Cybersecurity Leadership Forum.
- **April 12, 2017**: The Archives hosted a meeting of the Friends of the Archives.
- **April 13, 2017**: Maria Day participated in a panel on "The WPA in Maryland: Collections, Projects, and Possibilities" at the Society for History in the Federal Government Conference, held at the National Archives.
- April 13, 2017: Wei Yang attended the 2017 Digital Communications Summit.
- April 17, 2017: Maria Day meet with the Community Action Agency of Anne Arundel County.
- **April 18, 2017**: Tim Baker and Kevin Swanson attended a meeting of the Task Force to Study Recording Deeds for Victims of Domestic Violence.
- **April 18, 2017**: Ryan Cox gave a presentation on Maryland History to the 4th Graders of Calvary Baptist Church Academy in Glen Burnie.
- **April 19, 2017**: Emily Oland Squires attended a meeting of the Four Rivers Coordinating Council.

- **April 19 22, 2017**: Owen Lourie attended the National Council of Public History annual conference in Indianapolis.
- *April 19, 2017*: Wei Yang attended the IT Advisory Committee meeting.
- **April 20, 2017**: Tim Baker and Elaine Rice Bachmann met with Port Discovery Children's Museum staff to discuss the development of an exhibit master plan.
- **April 23, 2017**: Tim Baker attended a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Council of State Archivists in Washington, D.C.
- **April 25, 2017**: Christian Skipper and Joe Leizear attended the Society of American Archivists' workshop "Describing Archives: A Content Standard (DACS)."
- *April 27, 2017*: Tim Baker, Elaine Rice Bachmann, Catherine Rogers Arthur, and Chris Kintzel attended a reception for the Government House Foundation at Government House.
- **April 28, 2017**: Jennifer Cruickshank gave a presentation on records preservation at the County Clerk's Conference held in Westminster.
- **April 28, 2017**: Elaine Rice Bachmann and Catherine Rogers Arthur attended a meeting of the Society of Winterthur Fellows in Baltimore.
- **April 29, 2017**: The State House Office of Interpretation hosted the State House and its grounds as a site on the Maryland House and Garden Pilgrimage. Catherine Rogers Arthur, Mimi Calver, and Elaine Rice Bachmann served as guides.
- **April 29, 2017**: Emily Oland Squires and Ryan Cox served as judges during the Maryland History Day competition held at the University of Maryland, College Park.
- **May 1, 2017**: Rachel Frazier gave a presentation on the use of MdLandRec.net in conducting family research at the South County Senior Center in Edgewater.
- *May 2, 2017*: Christian Skipper participated as a presenter in the "Archive-It Advanced Training Webinar: Access to Web Archives."
- May 3, 2017: Emily Oland Squires attended a meeting of the Four Rivers Education Committee.
- *May 4, 2017*: Elaine Rice Bachmann provided a tour of the State House to Severna Park Middle School 8th Graders.
- **May 4, 2017**: Christian Skipper gave a presentation on records management issues at a meeting of the Association of Registers of Wills

- *May 10, 2017*: Catherine Rogers Arthur, Chris Kintzel, Tim Baker, and Elaine Rice Bachmann attended the semi-annual meeting of the Maryland Commission on Artistic Property.
- *May 18, 2017*: Megan Craynon attended a conference on Best Practices for Objects Preservation at Bryn Mawr College.
- *May 25, 2017*: Elaine Rice Bachmann attended the Winterthur Thesis presentations with the Board of the Society of Winterthur Fellows. Former Archives' staff member Michelle Fitzgerald presented on Governor Robert Eden inventory research.
- *May 28 June 2, 2017*: Maria Day and Jenn Cruickshank attended the American Institute for Conservation's annual meeting on in Chicago.
- **May 31, 2017**: Ryan Cox acted as a judge for the Fifth Grade Simulated Congressional Hearing at Talbot Springs Elementary School.
- *May 31, 2017*: Elaine Rice Bachmann acted as a judge for the Simulated Congressional Hearings at Severna Park Elementary School.
- *June 5, 2017*: Maria Day presented a talk on "Vintage Auto Travel in Maryland" at the South County Senior Center in Edgewater.